#### 77-27-1. Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

- (1) "Appearance" means any opportunity to address the board, a board member, a panel, or hearing officer, including an interview.
  - (2) "Board" means the Board of Pardons and Parole.
  - (3) "Commission" means the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice.
- (4) "Commutation" is the change from a greater to a lesser punishment after conviction.
  - (5) "Department" means the Department of Corrections.
  - (6) "Expiration" occurs when the maximum sentence has run.
- (7) "Family" means persons related to the victim as a spouse, child, sibling, parent, or grandparent, or the victim's legal guardian.
- (8) "Hearing" means an appearance before the board, a panel, a board member or hearing examiner, at which an offender or inmate is afforded an opportunity to be present and address the board, and encompasses the term "full hearing."
- (9) "Location," in reference to a hearing, means the physical location at which the board, a panel, a board member, or a hearing examiner is conducting the hearing, regardless of the location of any person participating by electronic means.
- (10) "Open session" means any hearing before the board, a panel, a board member, or a hearing examiner which is open to the public, regardless of the location of any person participating by electronic means.
- (11) "Panel" means members of the board assigned by the chairperson to a particular case.
- (12) "Pardon" is an act of grace that forgives a criminal conviction and restores the rights and privileges forfeited by or because of the criminal conviction. A pardon releases an offender from the entire punishment prescribed for a criminal offense and from disabilities that are a consequence of the criminal conviction. A pardon reinstates any civil rights lost as a consequence of conviction or punishment for a criminal offense.
- (13) "Parole" is a release from imprisonment on prescribed conditions which, if satisfactorily performed by the parolee, enables the parolee to obtain a termination of his sentence.
- (14) "Probation" is an act of grace by the court suspending the imposition or execution of a convicted offender's sentence upon prescribed conditions.
- (15) "Reprieve or respite" is the temporary suspension of the execution of the sentence.
- (16) "Termination" is the act of discharging from parole or concluding the sentence of imprisonment prior to the expiration of the sentence.
  - (17) "Victim" means:
- (a) a person against whom the defendant committed a felony or class A misdemeanor offense, and regarding which offense a hearing is held under this chapter; or
- (b) the victim's family, if the victim is deceased as a result of the offense for which a hearing is held under this chapter.

#### 77-27-1.5. Appearance by inmate, offender, or witness.

- (1) An appearance by an inmate, offender, or witness before the board, a panel, board member, or hearing officer may be in person, through videoconferencing or other electronic means. Any appearance by videoconference or other electronic means shall be recorded as provided in Section 77-27-8.
- (2) An inmate's or offender's electronic appearance by telephone is permissible with the consent of the inmate or offender, when the inmate or offender is incarcerated in a facility outside of this state.

Enacted by Chapter 110, 2010 General Session

### 77-27-2. Board of Pardons and Parole -- Creation -- Compensation -- Functions.

- (1) There is created the Board of Pardons and Parole. The board shall consist of five full-time members and not more than five pro tempore members to be appointed by the governor with the consent of the Senate as provided in this section. The members of the board shall be resident citizens of the state. The governor shall establish salaries for the members of the board within the salary range fixed by the Legislature in Title 67, Chapter 22, State Officer Compensation.
- (2) (a) (i) The full-time board members shall serve terms of five years. The terms of the full-time members shall be staggered so one board member is appointed for a term of five years on March 1 of each year.
- (ii) The pro tempore members shall serve terms of five years, beginning on March 1 of the year of appointment, with no more than one pro tempore member term beginning or expiring in the same calendar year. If a pro tempore member vacancy occurs, the board may submit the names of not fewer than three or more than five persons to the governor for appointment to fill the vacancy.
- (b) All vacancies occurring on the board for any cause shall be filled by the governor with the consent of the Senate pursuant to this section for the unexpired term of the vacating member.
- (c) The governor may at any time remove any member of the board for inefficiency, neglect of duty, malfeasance or malfeasance in office, or for cause upon a hearing.
- (d) A member of the board may not hold any other office in the government of the United States, this state or any other state, or of any county government or municipal corporation within a state. A member may not engage in any occupation or business inconsistent with the member's duties.
- (e) A majority of the board constitutes a quorum for the transaction of business, including the holding of hearings at any time or any location within or without the state, or for the purpose of exercising any duty or authority of the board. Action taken by a majority of the board regarding whether parole, pardon, commutation, termination of sentence, or remission of fines or forfeitures may be granted or restitution ordered in individual cases is deemed the action of the board. A majority vote of the five full-time

members of the board is required for adoption of rules or policies of general applicability as provided by statute. However, a vacancy on the board does not impair the right of the remaining board members to exercise any duty or authority of the board as long as a majority of the board remains.

- (f) Any investigation, inquiry, or hearing that the board has authority to undertake or hold may be conducted by any board member or an examiner appointed by the board. When any of these actions are approved and confirmed by the board and filed in its office, they are considered to be the action of the board and have the same effect as if originally made by the board.
- (g) When a full-time board member is absent or in other extraordinary circumstances the chair may, as dictated by public interest and efficient administration of the board, assign a pro tempore member to act in the place of a full-time member. Pro tempore members shall receive a per diem rate of compensation as established by the Division of Finance and all actual and necessary expenses incurred in attending to official business.
- (h) The chair may request staff and administrative support as necessary from the Department of Corrections.
- (3) (a) Except as provided in Subsection (3)(b), the Commission on Criminal and Juvenile Justice shall:
- (i) recommend five applicants to the governor for a full-time member appointment to the Board of Pardons and Parole; and
- (ii) consider applicants' knowledge of the criminal justice system, state and federal criminal law, judicial procedure, corrections policies and procedures, and behavioral sciences.
- (b) The procedures and requirements of Subsection (3)(a) do not apply if the governor appoints a sitting board member to a new term of office.
- (4) (a) The board shall appoint an individual to serve as its mental health adviser and may appoint other staff necessary to aid it in fulfilling its responsibilities under Title 77, Chapter 16a, Commitment and Treatment of Persons with a Mental Illness. The adviser shall prepare reports and recommendations to the board on all persons adjudicated as guilty with a mental illness, in accordance with Title 77, Chapter 16a.
- (b) The mental health adviser shall possess the qualifications necessary to carry out the duties imposed by the board and may not be employed by the Department of Corrections or the Utah State Hospital.
- (i) The Board of Pardons and Parole may review outside employment by the mental health advisor.
- (ii) The Board of Pardons and Parole shall develop rules governing employment with entities other than the board by the mental health advisor for the purpose of prohibiting a conflict of interest.
  - (c) The mental health adviser shall:
- (i) act as liaison for the board with the Department of Human Services and local mental health authorities;
- (ii) educate the members of the board regarding the needs and special circumstances of persons with a mental illness in the criminal justice system;

- (iii) in cooperation with the Department of Corrections, monitor the status of persons in the prison who have been found guilty with a mental illness;
- (iv) monitor the progress of other persons under the board's jurisdiction who have a mental illness;
- (v) conduct hearings as necessary in the preparation of reports and recommendations; and
  - (vi) perform other duties as assigned by the board.

Amended by Chapter 366, 2011 General Session

#### 77-27-4. Chairperson and vice chairperson.

- (1) The governor shall select one of the members of the board to serve as chairperson and board administrator at the governor's pleasure. The chairperson may exercise the duties and powers, in addition to those established by this chapter, necessary for the administration of daily operations of the board, including personnel, budgetary matters, panel appointments, and scheduling of hearings.
- (2) The chairperson shall appoint a vice chairperson to act in the absence of the chairperson.

Amended by Chapter 195, 1990 General Session

#### 77-27-5. Board of Pardons and Parole authority.

- (1) (a) The Board of Pardons and Parole shall determine by majority decision when and under what conditions, subject to this chapter and other laws of the state, persons committed to serve sentences in class A misdemeanor cases at penal or correctional facilities which are under the jurisdiction of the Department of Corrections, and all felony cases except treason or impeachment or as otherwise limited by law, may be released upon parole, pardoned, ordered to pay restitution, or have their fines, forfeitures, or restitution remitted, or their sentences commuted or terminated.
- (b) The board may sit together or in panels to conduct hearings. The chair shall appoint members to the panels in any combination and in accordance with rules promulgated by the board, except in hearings involving commutation and pardons. The chair may participate on any panel and when doing so is chair of the panel. The chair of the board may designate the chair for any other panel.
- (c) No restitution may be ordered, no fine, forfeiture, or restitution remitted, no parole, pardon, or commutation granted or sentence terminated, except after a full hearing before the board or the board's appointed examiner in open session. Any action taken under this subsection other than by a majority of the board shall be affirmed by a majority of the board.
- (d) A commutation or pardon may be granted only after a full hearing before the board.
- (e) The board may determine restitution as provided in Section 77-27-6 and Subsection 77-38a-302(5)(d)(ii).
- (2) (a) In the case of original parole grant hearings, rehearings, and parole revocation hearings, timely prior notice of the time and location of the hearing shall be

given to the defendant, the county or district attorney's office responsible for prosecution of the case, the sentencing court, law enforcement officials responsible for the defendant's arrest and conviction, and whenever possible, the victim or the victim's family.

- (b) Notice to the victim, his representative, or his family shall include information provided in Section 77-27-9.5, and any related rules made by the board under that section. This information shall be provided in terms that are reasonable for the lay person to understand.
- (3) Decisions of the board in cases involving paroles, pardons, commutations or terminations of sentence, restitution, or remission of fines or forfeitures are final and are not subject to judicial review. Nothing in this section prevents the obtaining or enforcement of a civil judgment, including restitution as provided in Section 77-27-6.
- (4) This chapter may not be construed as a denial of or limitation of the governor's power to grant respite or reprieves in all cases of convictions for offenses against the state, except treason or conviction on impeachment. However, respites or reprieves may not extend beyond the next session of the Board of Pardons and Parole and the board, at that session, shall continue or terminate the respite or reprieve, or it may commute the punishment, or pardon the offense as provided. In the case of conviction for treason, the governor may suspend execution of the sentence until the case is reported to the Legislature at its next session. The Legislature shall then either pardon or commute the sentence, or direct its execution.
- (5) In determining when, where, and under what conditions offenders serving sentences may be paroled, pardoned, have restitution ordered, or have their fines or forfeitures remitted, or their sentences commuted or terminated, the board shall consider whether the persons have made or are prepared to make restitution as ascertained in accordance with the standards and procedures of Section 77-38a-302, as a condition of any parole, pardon, remission of fines or forfeitures, or commutation or termination of sentence.
- (6) In determining whether parole may be terminated, the board shall consider the offense committed by the parolee, the parole period as provided in Section 76-3-202, and in accordance with Section 77-27-13.

Amended by Chapter 110, 2010 General Session

#### 77-27-5.1. Board authority to order expungement.

- (1) Upon granting a pardon, the board shall issue an expungement order, directing any criminal justice agency to remove the recipient's identifying information relating to the expunged convictions from its records.
- (2) An expungement order, issued by the board, has the same legal effect and authority as an order of expungement issued by a court, pursuant to Title 77, Chapter 40, Utah Expungement Act.
- (3) The board shall provide clear written directions to the recipient along with a list of agencies known to be affected by the expungement order.

Amended by Chapter 199, 2014 General Session

#### 77-27-5.3. Meritless and bad faith litigation.

- (1) For purposes of this section:
- (a) "Convicted" means a conviction by entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, guilty with a mental illness, no contest, and conviction of any crime or offense.
- (b) "Prisoner" means a person who has been convicted of a crime and is incarcerated for that crime or is being held in custody for trial or sentencing.
- (2) In any case filed in state or federal court in which a prisoner submits a claim that the court finds to be without merit and brought or asserted in bad faith, the Board of Pardons and Parole and any county jail administrator may consider that finding in any early release decisions concerning the prisoner.

Amended by Chapter 366, 2011 General Session

#### 77-27-5.5. Review procedure -- Commutation.

- (1) The Board of Pardons and Parole may consider the commutation of a death sentence only to life without parole.
- (2) Only the person who has been sentenced to death or his counsel may petition the Board of Pardons and Parole for commutation.
- (3) The petition shall be in writing, signed personally by the person sentenced to death, and shall include a statement of the grounds upon which the petitioner seeks review.
- (4) The state shall be permitted to respond in writing to the petition as may be established by board rules.
- (5) The board shall review the petition and determine whether the petition presents a substantial issue which has not been reviewed in the judicial process.
- (6) The board shall not consider legal issues, including constitutional issues, which:
  - (a) have been reviewed previously by the courts;
  - (b) should have been raised during the judicial process; or
  - (c) if based on new information, are subject to judicial review.
- (7) (a) If the board does not find a substantial issue, the board shall deny the hearing to the petitioner.
- (b) If the board finds a substantial issue, the board shall conduct a hearing in which the petitioner and the state may present evidence and argument as may be provided by board rules.

Amended by Chapter 13, 1994 General Session

#### 77-27-6. Payment of restitution.

(1) When the Board of Pardons and Parole orders the release on parole of an inmate who has been sentenced to make restitution pursuant to Title 77, Chapter 38a, Crime Victims Restitution Act, or whom the board has ordered to make restitution, and all or a portion of restitution is still owing, the board may establish a schedule, including both complete and court-ordered restitution, by which payment of the restitution shall

be made, or order compensatory or other service in lieu of or in combination with restitution. In fixing the schedule and supervising the paroled offender's performance, the board may consider the factors specified in Section 77-38a-302.

- (2) (a) The board may impose any court order for restitution.
- (b) In accordance with Subsection 77-38a-302(5)(d)(ii), the board may order that a defendant make restitution for pecuniary damages that were not determined by the court, unless the board applying the criteria as set forth in Section 77-38a-302 determines that restitution is inappropriate.
- (c) Except as provided in Subsection (2)(d), the board shall make all orders of restitution within 60 days after the termination or expiration of the defendant's sentence.
- (d) If, upon termination or expiration of a defendant's sentence, the board has continuing jurisdiction over the defendant for a separate criminal offense, the board may defer making an order of restitution until termination or expiration of all sentences for that defendant.
- (3) The board may also make orders of restitution for recovery of any or all costs incurred by the Department of Corrections or the state or any other agency arising out of the defendant's needs or conduct.
- (4) If the defendant, upon termination or expiration of the sentence owes outstanding fines, restitution, or other assessed costs, or if the board makes an order of restitution within 60 days after the termination or expiration of the defendant's sentence, the matter shall be referred to the district court for civil collection remedies. The Board of Pardons and Parole shall forward a restitution order to the sentencing court to be entered on the judgment docket. The entry shall constitute a lien and is subject to the same rules as a judgment for money in a civil judgment.

Amended by Chapter 96, 2005 General Session

### 77-27-7. Parole or hearing dates -- Interview -- Hearings -- Report of alienists -- Mental competency.

- (1) The Board of Pardons and Parole shall determine within six months after the date of an offender's commitment to the custody of the Department of Corrections, for serving a sentence upon conviction of a felony or class A misdemeanor offense, a date upon which the offender shall be afforded a hearing to establish a date of release or a date for a rehearing, and shall promptly notify the offender of the date.
- (2) Before reaching a final decision to release any offender under this chapter, the chair shall cause the offender to appear before the board, its panel, or any appointed hearing officer, who shall personally interview the offender to consider the offender's fitness for release and verify as far as possible information furnished from other sources. Any offender may waive a personal appearance before the board. Any offender outside of the state shall, if ordered by the board, submit to a courtesy hearing to be held by the appropriate authority in the jurisdiction in which the offender is housed in lieu of an appearance before the board. The offender shall be promptly notified in writing of the board's decision.
  - (3) (a) In the case of an offender convicted of violating or attempting to violate

any of the provisions of Section 76-5-301.1, Subsection 76-5-302(1)(b)(vi), Section 76-5-402, 76-5-402.1, 76-5-402.2, 76-5-402.3, 76-5-403, 76-5-403.1, 76-5-404, 76-5-404.1, or 76-5-405, the chair may appoint one or more alienists who shall examine the offender within six months prior to a hearing at which an original parole date is granted on any offense listed in this Subsection (3).

- (b) The alienists shall report in writing the results of the examination to the board prior to the hearing. The report of the appointed alienists shall specifically address the question of the offender's current mental condition and attitudes as they relate to any danger the offender may pose to children or others if the offender is released on parole.
- (4) The parolee may petition the board for termination of lifetime parole as provided in Section 76-3-202 in the case of a person convicted of a first degree felony violation or convicted of attempting to violate Section 76-5-301.1, Subsection 76-5-302(1)(b)(vi), Section 76-5-402, 76-5-402.1, 76-5-402.2, 76-5-402.3, 76-5-403.1, 76-5-404.1, or 76-5-405.
- (5) In any case where an offender's mental competency is questioned by the board, the chair may appoint one or more alienists to examine the offender and report in writing to the board, specifically addressing the issue of competency.
- (6) In accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, the board shall make rules governing:
  - (a) the hearing process;
  - (b) alienist examination; and
  - (c) parolee petitions for termination of parole.

Amended by Chapter 382, 2008 General Session

#### 77-27-8. Record of hearing.

- (1) A verbatim record of proceedings before the Board of Pardons and Parole shall be maintained by a suitable electronic recording device, except when the board dispenses with a record in a particular hearing or a portion of the proceedings.
- (2) When the hearing involves the commutation of a death sentence, a certified shorthand reporter, in addition to electronic means, shall record all proceedings except when the board dispenses with a record for the purpose of deliberations in executive session. The compensation of the reporter shall be determined by the board. The reporter shall immediately file with the board the original record and when requested shall with reasonable diligence furnish a transcription or copy of the record upon payment of reasonable fees as determined by the board.
- (3) When an inmate or offender affirms by affidavit that he is unable to pay for a copy of the record, the board may furnish a copy of the record, at the expense of the state, to the inmate or offender.

Amended by Chapter 110, 2010 General Session

#### 77-27-9. Parole proceedings.

(1) (a) The Board of Pardons and Parole may pardon or parole any offender or

commute or terminate the sentence of any offender committed to a penal or correctional facility under the jurisdiction of the Department of Corrections for a felony or class A misdemeanor except as provided in Subsection (2).

- (b) The board may not release any offender before the minimum term has been served unless the board finds mitigating circumstances which justify the release and unless the board has granted a full hearing, in open session, after previous notice of the time and location of the hearing, and recorded the proceedings and decisions of the board.
- (c) The board may not pardon or parole any offender or commute or terminate the sentence of any offender unless the board has granted a full hearing, in open session, after previous notice of the time and location of the hearing, and recorded the proceedings and decisions of the board.
- (d) The release of an offender shall be at the initiative of the board, which shall consider each case as the offender becomes eligible. However, a prisoner may submit the prisoner's own application, subject to the rules of the board promulgated in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act.
- (2) (a) A person sentenced to prison prior to April 29, 1996, for a first degree felony involving child kidnapping, a violation of Section 76-5-301.1; aggravated kidnapping, a violation of Section 76-5-302; rape of a child, a violation of Section 76-5-402.1; object rape of a child, a violation of Section 76-5-402.3; sodomy upon a child, a violation of Section 76-5-403.1; aggravated sexual abuse of a child, a violation of Subsection 76-5-404.1(4); aggravated sexual assault, a violation of Section 76-5-405; or a prior offense as described in Section 76-3-407, may not be eligible for release on parole by the Board of Pardons and Parole until the offender has fully completed serving the minimum mandatory sentence imposed by the court. This Subsection (2)(a) supersedes any other provision of law.
- (b) The board may not parole any offender or commute or terminate the sentence of any offender before the offender has served the minimum term for the offense, if the offender was sentenced prior to April 29, 1996, and if:
- (i) the offender was convicted of forcible sexual abuse, forcible sodomy, rape, aggravated assault, kidnapping, aggravated kidnapping, or aggravated sexual assault as defined in Title 76, Chapter 5, Offenses Against the Person; and
- (ii) the victim of the offense was under 18 years of age at the time the offense was committed.
- (c) For a crime committed on or after April 29, 1996, the board may parole any offender under Subsections (2)(b)(i) and (ii) for lifetime parole as provided in this section.
- (d) The board may not pardon or parole any offender or commute or terminate the sentence of any offender who is sentenced to life in prison without parole except as provided in Subsection (6).
- (e) On or after April 27, 1992, the board may commute a sentence of death only to a sentence of life in prison without parole.
- (f) The restrictions imposed in Subsections (2)(d) and (e) apply to all cases that come before the Board of Pardons and Parole on or after April 27, 1992.
  - (3) (a) The board may issue subpoenas to compel the attendance of witnesses

and the production of evidence, to administer oaths, and to take testimony for the purpose of any investigation by the board or any of its members or by a designated hearing examiner in the performance of its duties.

- (b) A person who willfully disobeys a properly served subpoena issued by the board is guilty of a class B misdemeanor.
- (4) (a) The board may adopt rules consistent with law for its government, meetings and hearings, the conduct of proceedings before it, the parole and pardon of offenders, the commutation and termination of sentences, and the general conditions under which parole may be granted and revoked.
- (b) The rules shall ensure an adequate opportunity for victims to participate at hearings held under this chapter, as provided in Section 77-27-9.5.
- (c) The rules may allow the board to establish reasonable and equitable time limits on the presentations by all participants in hearings held under this chapter.
- (5) The board does not provide counseling or therapy for victims as a part of their participation in any hearing under this chapter.
- (6) The board may parole a person sentenced to life in prison without parole if the board finds by clear and convincing evidence that the person is permanently incapable of being a threat to the safety of society.

Amended by Chapter 110, 2010 General Session

#### 77-27-9.5. Victim may attend hearings.

- (1) As used in this section, "hearing" means a hearing for a parole grant or revocation, or a rehearing of either of these if the offender is present.
- (2) (a) Except as provided in Subsection (2)(b), when a hearing is held regarding any offense committed by the defendant that involved the victim, the victim may attend the hearing to present his views concerning the decisions to be made regarding the defendant.
- (b) (i) The victim may not attend a redetermination or special attention hearing, if the offender is not present.
- (ii) At that redetermination or special attention hearing, the board shall give consideration to any presentation previously given by the victim regarding that offender.
- (3) (a) The notice of the hearing shall be timely sent to the victim at his most recent address of record with the board.
  - (b) The notice shall include:
  - (i) the date, time, and location of the hearing;
- (ii) a clear statement of the reason for the hearing, including all offenses involved;
  - (iii) the statutes and rules applicable to the victim's participation in the hearing;
- (iv) the address and telephone number of an office or person the victim may contact for further explanation of the procedure regarding victim participation in the hearing; and
- (v) specific information about how, when, and where the victim may obtain the results of the hearing.

- (c) If the victim is dead, or the board is otherwise unable to contact the victim, the board shall make reasonable efforts to notify the victim's immediate family of the hearing.
- (d) The victim may communicate with the board for consideration of continuance of the hearing if travel or other significant conflict prohibits their attendance at the hearing.
- (4) The victim, or family members if the victim is deceased or unable to attend due to physical incapacity, may:
  - (a) attend the hearing to observe;
- (b) make a statement to the board or its appointed examiner either in person or through a representative appointed by the victim or his family; and
- (c) remain present for the hearing if he appoints another to make a statement on his behalf.
  - (5) The statement may be presented:
- (a) as a written statement, which may also be read aloud, if the presenter desires; or
  - (b) as an oral statement presented by the person selected under Subsection (4).
- (6) The victim may be accompanied by a member of his family or another individual, present to provide emotional support to the victim.
- (7) The victim may, upon request, testify outside the presence of the defendant but a separate hearing may not be held for this purpose.

Amended by Chapter 355, 1998 General Session

#### 77-27-9.7. Victim right to notification of release -- Notice by board.

A victim entitled to notice of the hearings regarding parole under Section 77-27-9.5 shall also be notified by the Board of Pardons and Parole of the right of victims to be advised upon request of other releases of the defendant under Section 64-13-14.7. The board may include this notification in the same notice sent under Section 77-27-9.5. The board shall coordinate with the Department of Corrections to ensure notice under this section is provided to victims.

Amended by Chapter 13, 1994 General Session

# 77-27-10. Conditions of parole -- Inmate agreement to warrant -- Rulemaking -- Intensive early release parole program.

- (1) (a) When the Board of Pardons and Parole releases an offender on parole, it shall issue to the parolee a certificate setting forth the conditions of parole which the offender shall accept and agree to as evidenced by the offender's signature affixed to the agreement.
- (b) The parole agreement shall require that the inmate agree in writing that the board may issue a warrant and conduct a parole revocation hearing if:
- (i) the board determines after the grant of parole that the inmate willfully provided to the board false or inaccurate information that the board finds was significant in the board's determination to grant parole; or

- (ii) (A) the inmate has engaged in criminal conduct prior to the granting of parole; and
- (B) the board did not have information regarding the conduct at the time parole was granted.
- (c) A copy of the agreement shall be delivered to the Department of Corrections and a copy shall be given to the parolee. The original shall remain with the board's file.
- (2) (a) If an offender convicted of violating or attempting to violate Section 76-5-301.1, Subsection 76-5-302(1), Section 76-5-402, 76-5-402.1, 76-5-402.2, 76-5-402.3, 76-5-403, 76-5-403.1, 76-5-404, 76-5-404.1, or 76-5-405, is released on parole, the board shall order outpatient mental health counseling and treatment as a condition of parole.
- (b) The board shall develop standards and conditions of parole under this Subsection (2) in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act.
  - (c) This Subsection (2) does not apply to intensive early release parole.
- (3) (a) In addition to the conditions set out in Subsection (1), the board may place offenders in an intensive early release parole program. The board shall determine the conditions of parole which are reasonably necessary to protect the community as well as to protect the interests of the offender and to assist the offender to lead a law-abiding life.
  - (b) The offender is eligible for this program only if the offender:
  - (i) has not been convicted of a sexual offense; or
  - (ii) has not been sentenced pursuant to Section 76-3-406.
  - (c) The department shall:
- (i) make rules in accordance with Title 63G, Chapter 3, Utah Administrative Rulemaking Act, for operation of the program;
- (ii) adopt and implement internal management policies for operation of the program;
- (iii) determine whether or not to refer an offender into this program within 120 days from the date the offender is committed to prison by the sentencing court; and
- (iv) make the final recommendation to the board regarding the placement of an offender into the program.
- (d) The department may not consider credit for time served in a county jail awaiting trial or sentencing when calculating the 120-day period.
- (e) The prosecuting attorney or sentencing court may refer an offender for consideration by the department for participation in the program.
- (f) The board shall determine whether or not to place an offender into this program within 30 days of receiving the department's recommendation.
- (4) This program shall be implemented by the department within the existing budget.
- (5) During the time the offender is on parole, the department shall collect from the offender the monthly supervision fee authorized by Section 64-13-21.

Amended by Chapter 294, 2008 General Session Amended by Chapter 382, 2008 General Session

#### 77-27-10.5. Special condition of parole -- Penalty.

- (1) In accordance with Section 77-27-5, the Board of Pardons and Parole may release the defendant on parole and as a condition of parole, the board may order the defendant to be prohibited from directly or indirectly engaging in any profit or benefit generating activity relating to the publication of facts or circumstances pertaining to the defendant's involvement in the criminal act for which the defendant is convicted.
- (2) The order may prohibit the defendant from contracting with any person, firm, corporation, partnership, association, or other legal entity with respect to the commission and reenactment of the defendant's criminal conduct, by way of a movie, book, magazine article, tape recording, phonograph record, radio, or television presentations, live entertainment of any kind, or from the expression of the defendant's thoughts, feelings, opinions, or emotions regarding the criminal conduct.
- (3) The board may order that the prohibition includes any event undertaken and experienced by the defendant while avoiding apprehension from the authorities or while facing criminal charges.
- (4) The board may order that any action taken by the defendant by way of execution of power of attorney, creation of corporate entities, or other action to avoid compliance with the board's order shall be grounds for revocation of parole as provided in Section 77-27-11.
- (5) Adult Probation and Parole shall notify the board of any alleged violation of the board's order under this section.
  - (6) The violation of the board's order shall be considered a violation of parole.
  - (7) For purposes of this section:
- (a) "convicted" means a conviction by entry of a plea of guilty or nolo contendere, guilty with a mental illness, no contest, and conviction of any crime or offense: and
- (b) "defendant" means the convicted defendant, the defendant's assignees, and representatives acting on the defendant's authority.

Amended by Chapter 366, 2011 General Session

#### 77-27-11. Revocation of parole.

- (1) The board may revoke the parole of any person who is found to have violated any condition of his parole.
- (2) (a) If a parolee is detained by the Department of Corrections or any law enforcement official for a suspected violation of parole, the Department of Corrections shall immediately report the alleged violation to the board, by means of an incident report, and make any recommendation regarding the incident.
- (b) No parolee may be held for a period longer than 72 hours, excluding weekends and holidays, without first obtaining a warrant.
- (3) Any member of the board may issue a warrant based upon a certified warrant request to a peace officer or other persons authorized to arrest, detain, and return to actual custody a parolee, and may upon arrest or otherwise direct the Department of Corrections to determine if there is probable cause to believe that the parolee has violated the conditions of his parole.

- (4) Upon a finding of probable cause, a parolee may be further detained or imprisoned again pending a hearing by the board or its appointed examiner.
- (5) (a) The board or its appointed examiner shall conduct a hearing on the alleged violation, and the parolee shall have written notice of the time and location of the hearing, the alleged violation of parole, and a statement of the evidence against him.
- (b) The board or its appointed examiner shall provide the parolee the opportunity:
  - (i) to be present;
  - (ii) to be heard;
  - (iii) to present witnesses and documentary evidence;
- (iv) to confront and cross-examine adverse witnesses, absent a showing of good cause for not allowing the confrontation; and
- (v) to be represented by counsel when the parolee is mentally incompetent or pleading not guilty.
- (c) If heard by an appointed examiner, the examiner shall make a written decision which shall include a statement of the facts relied upon by the examiner in determining the guilt or innocence of the parolee on the alleged violation and a conclusion as to whether the alleged violation occurred. The appointed examiner shall then refer the case to the board for disposition.
- (d) Final decisions shall be reached by majority vote of the members of the board sitting and the parolee shall be promptly notified in writing of the board's findings and decision.
- (6) Parolees found to have violated the conditions of parole may, at the discretion of the board, be returned to parole, have restitution ordered, or be imprisoned again as determined by the board, not to exceed the maximum term, or be subject to any other conditions the board may impose within its discretion.

Amended by Chapter 110, 2010 General Session

#### 77-27-12. Parole discharge, sentence termination.

Any person released on parole shall be discharged from parole or have his sentence terminated subject to the conditions and limitations contained in Section 76-3-202.

Enacted by Chapter 213, 1985 General Session

# 77-27-13. Board of Pardons and Parole -- Duties of the judiciary, the Department of Corrections, and law enforcement -- Removal of material from files.

(1) The chief executive officer and employees of each penal or correctional institution shall cooperate fully with the board, permit board members free access to offenders, and furnish the board with pertinent information regarding an offender's physical, mental, and social history and his institutional record of behavior, discipline, work, efforts of self-improvement, and attitude toward society.

- (2) The Department of Corrections shall furnish pertinent information it has and shall provide a copy of the pre-sentence report and any other investigative reports to the board. In all cases where a pre-sentence report has not been completed, the department shall make a post-sentence report and shall provide a copy of it to the board as soon as possible. The department shall provide the board, upon request, any additional investigations or information needed by the board to reach a decision or conduct a hearing.
- (3) The department shall make its facilities available to the board to carry out its functions.
- (4) Law enforcement officials responsible for the offender's arrest, conviction, and sentence shall furnish all pertinent data requested by the board.
- (5) (a) In all cases where an indeterminate sentence is imposed, the judge imposing the sentence may within 30 days from the date of the sentence, mail to the chief executive of the board a statement in writing setting out the term for which, in his opinion, the offender sentenced should be imprisoned, and any information he may have regarding the character of the offender or any mitigating or aggravating circumstances connected with the offense for which the offender has been convicted. In addition, the prosecutor shall in all cases, within 30 days from the date of sentence, forward in writing to the chief executive of the board a full and complete description of the crime, a written record of any plea bargain entered into, a statement of the mitigating or aggravating circumstances or both, all investigative reports, a victim impact statement referring to physical, mental, or economic loss suffered, and any other information the prosecutor believes will be relevant to the board. These statements shall be preserved in the files of the board.
  - (b) Notwithstanding Subsection (5)(a), the board may remove from its files any:
  - (i) statement that it is not going to rely on in its decisionmaking process;
- (ii) information found to be incorrect by a court, the Board of Pardons and Parole, or administrative agency; or
  - (iii) duplicative materials.
- (6) The chief executive officer of any penal or correctional institution shall permit offenders to send mail to the board without censorship.

Amended by Chapter 171, 1998 General Session

#### 77-27-21.7. Sex offender restrictions.

- (1) As used in this section:
- (a) "Protected area" means the premises occupied by:
- (i) any licensed day care or preschool facility;
- (ii) a swimming pool that is open to the public;
- (iii) a public or private primary or secondary school that is not on the grounds of a correctional facility;
  - (iv) a community park that is open to the public; and
- (v) a playground that is open to the public, including those areas designed to provide children space, recreational equipment, or other amenities intended to allow children to engage in physical activity.

- (b) (i) Except under Subsection (1)(b)(ii), "protected area" also includes any area that is 1,000 feet or less from the residence of a victim of the sex offender's offense under Subsection (1)(c) if:
- (A) the sex offender is on probation or parole for an offense under Subsection (1)(c);
- (B) the victim or the victim's parent or guardian has advised the Department of Corrections that the victim desires that the sex offender be restricted from the area under this Subsection (1)(b)(i) and authorizes the Department of Corrections to advise the sex offender of the area where the victim resides for purposes of this Subsection (1)(b); and
- (C) the Department of Corrections has notified the sex offender in writing that the sex offender is prohibited from being in the protected area under Subsection (1)(b)(i) and has also provided a description of the location of the protected area to the sex offender.
- (ii) "Protected area" under Subsection (1)(b)(i) does not apply to the residence and area surrounding the residence of a victim if:
  - (A) the victim is a member of the immediate family of the sex offender; and
- (B) the terms of the sex offender's agreement of probation or parole allow the sex offender to reside in the same residence as the victim.
- (c) "Sex offender" means an adult or juvenile who is required to register in accordance with Title 77, Chapter 41, Sex and Kidnap Offender Registry, due to a conviction for any offense that is committed against a person younger than 18 years of age.
- (2) It is a class A misdemeanor for any sex offender to be in any protected area on foot or in or on any vehicle, including vehicles that are not motorized, except for:
- (a) those specific periods of time when the sex offender must be present within a protected area in order to carry out necessary parental responsibilities;
  - (b) when the protected area is a school building:
  - (i) under Subsection (1)(a)(iii);
  - (ii) being opened for or being used for a public activity; and
- (iii) not being used for any school-related function that involves persons younger than 18 years of age; or
  - (c) when the protected area is a licensed day care or preschool facility:
  - (i) under Subsection (1)(a)(i); and
- (ii) located within a building that is open to the public for purposes, services, or functions that are operated separately from the day care or preschool facility located in the building, except that the sex offender may not be in any part of the building occupied by the day care or preschool facility.

Amended by Chapter 145, 2012 General Session

#### 77-27-21.8. Sex offender in presence of a child -- Definitions -- Penalties.

- (1) As used in this section:
- (a) "Accompany" means:
- (i) to be in the presence of an individual; and

- (ii) to move or travel with that individual from one location to another, whether outdoors, indoors, or in or on any type of vehicle.
  - (b) "Child" means an individual younger than 14 years of age.
- (2) A sex offender subject to registration in accordance with Title 77, Chapter 41, Sex and Kidnap Offender Registry, for an offense committed or attempted to be committed against a child younger than 14 years of age is guilty of a class A misdemeanor if the sex offender requests, invites, or solicits a child to accompany the sex offender, under circumstances that do not constitute an attempt to violate Section 76-5-301.1, child kidnapping, unless:
  - (a) (i) the sex offender, prior to accompanying the child:
- (A) verbally advises the child's parent or legal guardian that the sex offender is on the state sex offender registry and is required by state law to obtain written permission in order for the sex offender to accompany the child; and
- (B) requests that the child's parent or legal guardian provide written authorization for the sex offender to accompany the child, including the specific dates and locations;
- (ii) the child's parent or legal guardian has provided to the sex offender written authorization, including the specific dates and locations, for the sex offender to accompany the child; and
- (iii) the sex offender has possession of the written authorization and is accompanying the child only at the dates and locations specified in the authorization;
- (b) the child's parent or guardian has verbally authorized the sex offender to accompany the child either in the child's residence or on property appurtenant to the child's residence, but in no other locations; or
- (c) the child is the natural child of the sex offender, and the offender is not prohibited by any court order, or probation or parole provision, from contact with the child.
- (3) (a) A sex offender convicted of a violation of Subsection (2) is subject to registration in accordance with Title 77, Chapter 41, Sex and Kidnap Offender Registry, for an additional five years subsequent to the required registration under Section 77-27-21.5.
- (b) The period of additional registration imposed under Subsection (3)(a) is also in addition to any period of registration imposed under Subsection 77-41-107(3) for failure to comply with registration requirements.
- (4) It is not a defense to a prosecution under this section that the defendant mistakenly believed the individual to be 14 years of age or older at the time of the offense or was unaware of the individual's true age.
- (5) This section does not apply if a sex offender is acting to rescue a child who is in an emergency and life-threatening situation.

Amended by Chapter 145, 2012 General Session

#### 77-27-21.9. Sex offender assessment.

- (1) As used in this section:
- (a) "Dynamic factors" means a person's individual characteristics, issues,

resources, or circumstances that:

- (i) can change or be influenced; and
- (ii) affect the risk of recidivism or the risk of violating conditions of probation or parole.
- (b) "Multi-domain assessment" means an evaluation process or tool which reports in quantitative and qualitative terms an offender's condition, stability, needs, resources, and dynamic factors affecting the offender's transition into the community and compliance with conditions of probation or parole, such as the following:
  - (i) alcohol and other drug use;
  - (ii) mental health status;
  - (iii) physical health;
  - (iv) criminal behavior;
  - (v) education;
  - (vi) emotional health and barriers;
  - (vii) employment;
  - (viii) family dynamics;
  - (ix) housing;
  - (x) physical health and nutrition;
  - (xi) spirituality;
  - (xii) social support systems;
  - (xiii) special population needs, including:
  - (A) co-existing disorders;
  - (B) domestic violence;
  - (C) drug of choice;
  - (D) gender, ethnic, and cultural considerations;
  - (E) other health issues;
  - (F) sexual abuse; and
  - (G) sexual orientation;
  - (xiv) transportation; and
  - (xv) treatment involvement.
- (c) "Qualitative terms" means written summaries used to describe meaning, enrich, or explain significant quantitative indicators or benchmarks within the areas defined in Subsection (1)(b).
- (d) "Quantitative terms" means numerical distinctions or benchmarks used to describe conditions within the areas defined in Subsection (1)(b).
- (2) The department shall issue a request for proposals to provide a periodic multi-domain assessment tool, as defined in Subsection (1)(b) and implement the tool for a three-year trial period in the management of sex offenders being supervised in the community in the department's Region 3.
- (3) The request for proposals shall include a requirement that the multi-domain assessment tool be designed to be administered:
- (a) every 16 weeks during the first year a sex offender is supervised in the community; and
- (b) every 12 to 26 weeks during the second and subsequent years a sex offender is supervised in the community, as determined appropriate by the

department's supervisory personnel and the sex offender's treatment team.

- (4) The department shall promptly make results of the multi-domain assessment available to:
  - (a) the sex offender's treatment team; and
  - (b) the corrections personnel responsible for supervising the offender.
- (5) The department shall provide to the legislative Law Enforcement and Criminal Justice Interim Committee at the conclusion of the trial period a written report of the results of the use of the multi-domain assessments, including:
  - (a) the impact on recidivism;
  - (b) other indicators of the effect of the use of the assessments;
  - (c) the number of assessments administered annually;
  - (d) the number of individuals who were assessed during the year; and
  - (e) any recommended legislative or policy changes.

Enacted by Chapter 309, 2008 General Session

### 77-27-24. Out-of-state supervision of probationers and parolees -- Compacts.

The governor of this state is authorized to execute a compact on behalf of the State of Utah with any other state legally joining therein. "State," as used in this section, includes any state, territory or possession of the United States, and the District of Columbia. The compact shall be in substantially the following form:

- (1) A compact entered into by and among the contracting states, signatories thereto, with the consent of the Congress of the United States of America, granted by an act entitled An Act Granting the Consent of Congress to any two or more States to enter into Agreements or Compacts for cooperative effort and mutual assistance in the prevention of crime and for other purposes.
  - (2) The contracting states solemnly agree:
- (a) That it shall be competent for the duly constituted judicial and administrative authorities of a state party to this compact (herein called sending state) to permit any person convicted of an offense within such state and placed on probation or released on parole to reside in any other state party to this compact (herein called receiving state) while on probation or parole, if:
- (i) such person is in fact a resident of or has his family residing within the receiving state and can obtain employment there; or
- (ii) though not a resident of the receiving state and not having his family residing there, the receiving state consents to such person being sent there.
- (A) Before granting such permission, opportunity shall be granted to the receiving state to investigate the home and prospective employment of such person.
- (B) A resident of the receiving state, within the meaning of this section, is one who has been an actual inhabitant of such state continuously for more than one year prior to his coming to the sending state and has not resided within the sending state more than six continuous months immediately preceding the commission of the offense for which he has been convicted.
  - (b) That each receiving state will assume the duties of visitation of and

supervision over probationers or parolees of any sending state and in the exercise of those duties will be governed by the same standards that prevail for its own probationers and parolees.

- (c) That duly accredited officers of a sending state may at all times enter a receiving state and there apprehend and retake any person on probation or parole from such sending state. For that purpose no formalities will be required other than establishing the authority of the officer and the identity of the person to be retaken. All legal requirements to obtain extradition of fugitives from justice are expressly waived on the part of states party hereto as to such persons. The decision of the sending state to retake a person on probation (or parole) shall be conclusive upon and not reviewable within the receiving state; provided if at the time when a state seeks to retake a probationer or parolee there should be pending against him within the receiving state any criminal charge, or he should be suspected of having committed within such state a criminal offense, he shall not be retaken without the consent of the receiving state until discharged from prosecution or from imprisonment for such offense.
- (d) That the duly accredited officers of the sending state will be permitted to transport prisoners being retaken through any and all states parties to this compact without interference.
- (e) That the governor of each state may designate an officer who, acting jointly with like officers of other contracting states, if and when appointed, shall promulgate such rules and regulations as may be deemed necessary to more effectively carry out the terms of this compact.
- (f) That this compact shall become operative immediately upon its execution by any state as between it and any other state or states so executing. When executed it shall have the full force and effect of law within such state, the form of execution to be in accordance with the laws of the executing state.
- (g) That this compact shall continue in force and remain binding upon each executing state until renounced by it. That duties and obligations hereunder of a renouncing state shall continue as to parolees or probationers residing therein at the time of withdrawal until retaken or finally discharged by the sending state. Renunciation of this compact shall be by the same authority which executed it, on sending six months' notice in writing of intention to withdraw from the compact to the other states party thereto.

Amended by Chapter 306, 2007 General Session

### 77-27-25. Amendments to interstate compact -- Transfer of prisoners -- Costs -- Supplementary agreements.

The governor is authorized, on behalf of the state, to execute amendments to the compacts provided for in Section 77-27-24, with any other state legally joined therein. "State," as used in this section, includes any state, territory or possession of the United States and the District of Columbia. The amendments to the compact shall be in form substantially as follows:

(a) Whenever the duly constituted judicial and administrative authorities in a sending state shall determine incarceration of a probationer or reincarceration of a

parolee is necessary or desirable, said officials may direct that the incarceration or reincarceration be in a prison or other correctional institution within the territory of the receiving state, such receiving state to act in that regard solely as agent for the sending state.

- (b) As used in this amendment, the term "receiving state" shall be construed to mean any state, other than the sending state, in which a parolee or probationer may be found, provided that said state is a party to this amendment.
- (c) Every state which adopts this amendment shall designate at least one of its correctional institutions as a "Compact Institution" and shall incarcerate persons therein as provided in (a) hereof unless the sending and receiving state in question shall make specific contractual arrangements to the contrary. All states party to this amendment shall have access to "Compact Institutions" at all reasonable hours for the purpose of inspecting the facilities thereof and for the purpose of visiting such of said state's prisoners as may be confined in the institution.
- (d) Persons confined in "Compact Institutions" pursuant to the terms of this compact shall at all times be subject to the jurisdiction of the sending state and may at any time be removed from said "Compact Institution" for transfer to a prison or other correctional institution within the sending state, for return to probation or parole, for discharge, or for any other purpose permitted by the laws of the sending state.
- (e) All persons who may be confined in a "Compact Institution" pursuant to the provisions of this amendment shall be treated in a reasonable and humane manner. The fact of incarceration or reincarceration in a receiving state shall not deprive any person so incarcerated or reincarcerated of any rights which said person would have had if incarcerated or reincarcerated in an appropriate institution of the sending state; nor shall any agreement to submit to incarceration or reincarceration pursuant to the terms of this amendment be construed as a waiver of any rights which the prisoner would have had if he had been incarcerated or reincarcerated in an appropriate institution of the sending state, except that the hearing or hearings, if any, to which a parolee or probationer may be entitled, (prior to incarceration or reincarceration) by the laws of the sending state may be had before the appropriate judicial or administrative officers of the receiving state. In this event, said judicial and administrative officers shall act as agents of the sending state after consultation with appropriate officers of the sending state.
- (f) Any receiving state incurring costs or other expenses under this amendment shall be reimbursed in the amount of such costs or other expenses by the sending state unless the states concerned shall specifically otherwise agree. Any two or more states party to this amendment may enter into supplementary agreements determining a different allocation of costs as among themselves.
- (g) This amendment shall take effect when ratified by any two or more states party to the compact and shall be effective as to those states which have specifically ratified this amendment. Rules and regulations necessary to effectuate the terms of this amendment may be promulgated by the appropriate officers of those states which have ratified this amendment.

### 77-27-26. Deputization of agents to effect return of parole and probation violators.

- (1) (a) The official administrator of the interstate compact for the supervision of parolees and probationers is authorized and empowered to deputize any person to act as an officer and agent of this state in carrying out the return of any person who has violated the terms and conditions of parole or probation as granted by this state.
- (b) In any matter relating to the return of a violator described in Subsection (1)(a), any deputized agent shall have all the powers of a peace officer of this state.
- (2) Any deputization of any person pursuant to this section shall be in writing and the deputized agent shall:
  - (a) carry formal evidence of his deputization; and
  - (b) produce the evidence of deputization upon demand.
- (3) The official administrator of the interstate compact is authorized, subject to the approval of the governor, to enter into contracts with similar officials of any other state or states for the purpose of sharing an equitable portion of the cost of effecting the return of any person who has violated the terms and conditions of parole or probation as granted by this state.

Amended by Chapter 282, 1998 General Session

### 77-27-27. Retaking or reincarceration for parole or probation violations -- Hearing and notice to sending state -- Detention of parolee or probationer.

Where supervision of a parolee or probationer is being administered pursuant to the interstate compact for the supervision of parolees and probationers, the appropriate judicial or administrative authorities in this state shall notify the compact administrator of the sending state whenever, in their view, consideration should be given to retaking or reincarceration for a parole or probation violation. Prior to the giving of any such notification, a hearing shall be held in accordance with this act within a reasonable time, unless such hearing is waived by the parolee or probationer. The appropriate officer or officers of this state shall as soon as practicable, following termination of any hearing, report to the sending state, furnish a copy of the hearing record, and make recommendations regarding the disposition to be made of the parolee or probationer by the sending state. Pending any proceeding pursuant to this section, the appropriate officers of this state may take custody of and detain the parolee or probationer involved for a period not to exceed 15 days prior to the hearing and, if it appears to the hearing officer or officers that retaking or reincarceration is likely to follow, for such reasonable period after the hearing or waiver as may be necessary to arrange for the retaking or reincarceration.

Enacted by Chapter 15, 1980 General Session

#### 77-27-28. Hearing officer.

Any hearing pursuant to this act shall be heard by the administrator of the interstate compact for the supervision of parolees and probationers, a deputy of the administrator, or any other person authorized pursuant to the laws of this state to hear

cases of alleged parole or probation violation, except that no hearing officer shall be the person making the allegation of violation.

Enacted by Chapter 15, 1980 General Session

#### 77-27-29. Rights of parolee or probationer -- Record of proceedings.

- (1) With respect to any hearing pursuant to the Uniform Act for Out-of-State Supervision, the parolee or probationer shall have the following rights:
- (a) reasonable notice in writing of the nature and content of the allegations to be made, including notice that its purpose is to determine whether there is probable cause to believe that he has committed a violation that may lead to a revocation of parole or probation;
- (b) be permitted to advise with any persons whose assistance he reasonably desires, prior to the hearing;
- (c) to confront and examine any persons who have made allegations against him, unless the hearing officer determines that such confrontation would present a substantial present or subsequent danger of harm to such person or persons; and
- (d) may admit, deny, or explain the violation alleged and may present proof, including affidavits and other evidence, in support of his contentions.
  - (2) A record of the proceedings shall be made and preserved.

Amended by Chapter 306, 2007 General Session

## 77-27-30. Violation by parolee or probationer supervised in another state -- Hearing in other state -- Procedure upon receipt of record from other state.

In any case of alleged parole or probation violation by a person being supervised in another state pursuant to the interstate compact for the supervision of parolees and probationers, any appropriate judicial or administrative officer or agency in another state is authorized to hold a hearing on the alleged violation. Upon receipt of the record of a parole or probation violation hearing held in another state pursuant to a statute substantially similar to this act, the record shall have the same standing and effect as though the proceeding of which it is a record was had before the appropriate officer or officers in this state, and any recommendations contained in or accompanying the record shall be fully considered by the appropriate officer or officers of this state in making disposition of the matter.

Enacted by Chapter 15, 1980 General Session

#### 77-27-31. Short title.

Sections 77-27-24 through 77-27-30 of this chapter may be cited as the "Uniform Act for Out-of-State Supervision."

Enacted by Chapter 15, 1980 General Session